

TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Case No. 11758/212
Serial No. 10/660,176	Filing Date September 10, 2004	Examiner To Be Assigned	Group Art Unit To Be Assigned
Inventor(s) Muderlak et al.			
Title of Invention System and Method for Dispensing Soap			

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is Transmittal Letter (in duplicate), Second Preliminary Amendment, and Return Postcard.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Petition for a \_\_\_\_\_ month extension of time.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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- ☒ I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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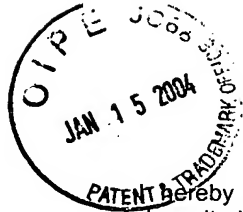
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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Muderlak *et al.*

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Soap

Examiner: Unknown

Group Art Unit No.: Unknown

## SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby enter the following amendments to the above-captioned application.